

## State of Arizona Office of the Governor

**EXECUTIVE OFFICE** 

March 16, 2018

Douglas A. Ducey

GOVERNOR

The Honorable Michele Reagan Secretary of State 1700 W. Washington, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Secretary Reagan:

I am transmitting to you the following bills from the Fifty-third Legislature, 2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Session, which I signed on March 16, 2018:

- HB 2013 trust companies; liquid capital; definition (Finchem)
- HB 2019 civil rights advisory board; continuation (Kern)
- HB 2025 workers' compensation; rate deviations (Livingston)
- HB 2026 county school superintendent; services; entities (Boyer)
- HB 2043 occupational therapy board; continuation (Carter)
- HB 2061 financial institutions department; superintendent duties (Shope)
- HB 2079 single axle tow dolly; definition (Shope)
- HB 2098 insurance; inducements (Livingston)
- HB 2115 bonds; ballot language; procedures (Mitchell)
- HB 2150 manufactured home sales; licensure; exemption (Weninger)
- HB 2178 secretary of state; notary public (Coleman)
- HB 2278 child support rights transfer (Cobb)
- HB 2317 disability plates; permanent placards (John)
- HB 2413 public road maintenance; primitive designation (Cook)
- HB 2484 local food tax; equality (Shope)
- SB 1038 state land sales; payment method (Griffin)
- SB 1042 backflow prevention; state fire code (Kavanagh)
- SB 1057 county school superintendent; report; approval (Burges)
- SB 1072 DCS; contractor employees; fingerprint requirement (Brophy McGee)

SB 1076 assault; public safety contractors; workers (Barto)

SB 1082 full-day kindergarten; instruction requirements (Allen, S.)

SB 1089 purple heart day (Borrelli)

SB 1205 unemployment insurance; educational employers; interest (Fann)

SB 1207 lease authority; airports; air terminals (Pratt)

Sincerely,

Douglas A. Ducey

Governor

State of Arizona

cc: Senate Secretary

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives

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## **CHAPTER 8**

## **HOUSE BILL 2061**

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 6-122, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Section 6-122, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

## 6-122. Superintendent; authority; duties

- A. The superintendent has the authority and responsibility for the discharge of all duties imposed by law on the department.
  - B. The superintendent shall:
- 1. Examine or cause to be examined each financial institution annually, except financial institution holding companies, banks, savings and loan associations, credit unions and consumer lenders, and more frequently if the superintendent considers it necessary.
- 2. Examine or cause to be examined each bank, credit union and savings and loan association at the superintendent's discretion but at least once in every twenty-four month period.
- 3. Examine or cause to be examined the business and affairs of any enterprise and any consumer lender for the purpose of administering and enforcing this title at the superintendent's discretion but at least once in a five-year period.
- 4. Examine or cause to be examined financial institution holding companies as frequently as the superintendent considers necessary to administer and enforce this title.
- 5. Notwithstanding paragraph 3 of this subsection, examine or cause to be examined the accounts held in trust by each escrow agent at least once in every two-year period pursuant to section 20-1593 and examine or cause to be examined each escrow agent at least once in every four-year period or more frequently if the superintendent considers it necessary.
- 6. Notwithstanding paragraph 3 of this subsection, examine or cause to be examined each premium finance company at least once in every three-year period and more frequently if the superintendent considers it necessary.
  - 7. 6. Publish a consumer information brochure that includes:
  - (a) The finance charges permitted by this state.
- (b) The types of insurance that may be offered but that are not required by law to be purchased with the granting of a loan.
- (c) Interest rate limitations on all lenders including amounts that may not be charged to borrowers.
- (d) Consumer rights and means of recourse from unfair practitioners.
- 6. 7. Make it a priority to encourage the growth of state-chartered financial institutions in this state and by February 1 of each calendar year notify the governor, the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of representatives if the total number of state-chartered banks or state-chartered credit unions decreases during the prior calendar year.

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- C. Notwithstanding subsection B, paragraph 5 of this section, an escrow agent shall be examined within twelve months when an escrow agent's license is transferred or assigned pursuant to section 6-813 or when control of the license is otherwise acquired.
- D. Subsection B, paragraph 3 of this section does not apply to motor vehicle dealers, sales finance companies or persons licensed under chapter 12 of this title.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MARCH 16, 2018

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MARCH 16, 2018

Passed the House February 6, 20/8	Passed the Senate March 13, 20 18
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H.B. 2061 at 12:	o'clock PM.  Michele Resser  Secretary of State